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Introduced by
Representative Sinema

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 49-404, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO AIR QUALITY.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 49-404, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 49-404. State implementation plan

5 A. The director shall maintain a state implementation plan that
6 provides for implementation, maintenance and enforcement of national ambient
7 air quality standards and protection of visibility as required by the clean
8 air act.

9 B. The director may adopt rules that describe procedures for adoption
10 of revisions to the state implementation plan.

11 C. The state implementation plan and all revisions adopted before
12 September 30, 1992 remain in effect according to their terms, except to the
13 extent otherwise provided by the clean air act, inconsistent with any
14 provision of the clean air act, or revised by the administrator. No control
15 requirement in effect, or required to be adopted by an order, settlement
16 agreement or plan in effect, before the enactment of the clean air act in any
17 area which is a nonattainment or maintenance area for any air pollutant may
18 be modified after enactment in any manner unless the modification ~~insures~~
19 **ENSURES** equivalent or greater emission reductions of the air pollutant. The
20 director shall evaluate and adopt revisions to the plan in conformity with
21 federal regulations and guidelines promulgated by the administrator for those
22 purposes until the rules required by subsection B are effective.

23 **D. THE STATE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN AND ANY COUNTY AIR QUALITY MEASURE**
24 **FOR COARSE PARTICULATE MATTER SHALL REQUIRE COMPLIANCE WITH THE ANNUAL**
25 **NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARD FOR COARSE PARTICULATE MATTER CONTAINED**
26 **IN RULES ADOPTED BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY AND IN**
27 **EFFECT ON JULY 1, 2006, WITHOUT REGARD TO WHETHER THAT STANDARD IS**
28 **SUBSEQUENTLY MODIFIED.**